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THERE FOLLOWS THE TEXT OF THE SALARIES PROPOSAL OF THE
SECRETARY GENERAL REFERRED TO IN USNATO 1910. BEGIN TEXT:

COMPROMISE PROPOSAL MADE BY THE SECRETARY GENERAL
IN THE MEETING OF THE COUNCIL ON 7TH APRIL 1976

I WOULD ASK YOU TO REFLECT ON THE FOLLOWING PROPOSAL,
WHICH I PUT FORWARD AS ACOMPROMISE:

I) THAT THE STAFF BE GIVEN, WITH EFFECT FROM 1ST JANUARY
1976, A 100 PCT COST OF LIVING ADJUSTMENT -AND HERE I
WOULD EMPHASISE THAT THIS ADJUSTMENT RELATES TO THE
ACTUAL INCREASE IN LIVING COSTS OVER THE SECOND HALF OF
LAST YEAR;

II) THAT AS PROPOSED BY THE CO-ORDINATING COMMITTEE,
AND CONTRARY TO THE PROPOSAL OF THE SECRETARIES GENERAL,
THERE BE A GENERAL SALARY REVIEW ON 1ST JULY 1976;

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III) THAT WITH EFFECT FROM 1ST JULY 1976 AN ADJUSTMENT
LIMITED TO 80 PCT OF THE INCREASE IN COST OF LIVING BE
GRANTED AS AN ADVANCE, PENDING THE OUTCOME OF THE

REVIEW STUDIES WHICH WILL ESTABLISH THE TRUE ADJUSTMENT DUE
UNDER THE COMBINED HEADINGS OF COST AND STANDARD OF LIVING.

I AM CONVINCED THAT THIS FURTHER CONCESSION OF PAYING
ON 1ST JULY ONLY 80 PCT OF THE COST OF LIVING INCREASE WILL MEET
THE CONCERN OF THOSE GOVERNMENTS WHO ARE AFRAID THAT GIVING
100 PCT COST OF LIVING ADJUSTMENTS TWICE A YEAR MIGHT SUB-
SEQUENTLY, AT THE TIME OF THE GENERAL SALARY REVIEW, REQUIRE
REDUCTIONS IN SALARIES. EQUALLY, IT WILL APPEASE THE FEARS OF
THE STAFF THAT THE TRUE INTENTION IS PROGRESSIVELY TO CUT
THEIR PRESENT PURCHASING POWER. I THEREFORE MUST EARNESTLY ASK
THE COUNCIL TO GIVE IT FAVOURABLE CONSIDERATION.
END TEXT. STRAUSS-HUPE

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